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**WASHINGTON, DC** - U.S. Rep. Michael A. Arcuri (NY-24) announced today that the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has awarded the Greater Binghamton Airport \$3,895,937 in funding to make critical improvements to the terminal apron.

"This important funding will enable the airport to make necessary improvements to ensure that the Greater Binghamton Airport continues to provide safe and efficient air service in the Southern Tier," said Arcuri, a member of the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee which is responsible for authorizing funds through the FAA.

"The Greater Binghamton Airport is a key part of economic growth and development for the Southern Tier, and I am pleased to announce these much-needed funds."

This grant will provide federal funding for re-pavement of the terminal apron, which has deteriorated to the point that it raises safety concerns for airport operations.

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